

OUR CHURCHES' DIARY

TODAY Remembrance Sunday 14th Nov

Little Chesterford	9.30 am	Remembrance Service John Risby
Great Chesterford	10.50 am	Remembrance Service Alex Jeewan
Wendens Ambo & Littlebury Green	10.45 am	Remembrance Service Home Team
Littlebury	10.55 am	Remembrance Service Angela Want

THIS WEEK

Tuesday 16th November

5.00 pm Evening Prayer Zoom

Wednesday 17th November

9.30 am Holy Communion Saffron Walden

9.30 am Building Blocks Great Chesterford

2.30 pm Funeral for June Foot Great Chesterford

5.00 pm Evening Prayer Zoom

Thursday 18th November

5.00 pm Evening Prayer Zoom

Friday 19th November

1.30 pm Funeral for Norman Britcher Wendens Ambo

NEXT WEEK 21st November

Little Chesterford	9.30 am	HOLY COMMUNION
Great Chesterford	9.30 am	ICHURCH
Wendens Ambo	9.30 am	MORNING PRAYER
Littlebury	11.00 am	HOLY COMMUNION
Littlebury Green	9.30 am	FAMILY SERVICE

ACCESS

Live streamed services from Great Chesterford

Go to

<https://www.facebook.com/camvillageschurches>

Just before the service time and look out for the post which will say "CamVillages Churches is live". Click on the video in the post to watch the live stream.

Services on Zoom

Email Alex at vicar.camvillages@gmail.com or Gillian Hopton at website.camvillages@gmail.com for an invitation with the access codes.

Other Services

Access information will be found on the Cam Villages Website or stmaryssaffronwalden.org

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The Grapevine

COVERING THE CHURCHES OF
GREAT & LITTLE CHESTERFORD, LITTLEBURY WITH
LITTLEBURY GREEN, & WENDENS AMBO

Welcome to our services today

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Great Chesterford

John 15:9-17

Jesus said to his disciples 'As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full. 'This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. Greater love has no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide; so that whatever you ask the Father in my name, he may give it to you. This I command you, to love one another.'

Little Chesterford

Ephesians 4:25-5:2

Therefore, putting away falsehood, let every one speak the truth with his neighbour, for we are members one of another. Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and give no opportunity to the devil. Let the thief no longer steal, but rather let him labour, doing honest work with his hands, so that he may be able to give to those in need. Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for edifying, as fits the occasion, that it may impart grace to those who hear. And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, in whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamour and slander be put away from you, with all malice, and be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you. Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

Wendens Ambo

Daniel 12:1-3, Hebrews 10: 11-14, Mark 13:1-8

Littlebury

Waiting for Angela to let me know

Team Vicar:

Revd Alex Jeewan 01799 531153
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Revd John Risby

Revd Angela Want

Elizabeth Marshall 01799 530265

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PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Those who are unwell:

Jenny Sweet and Michelle Thomson (Littlebury Green)
Margaret Reed, Valerie Clift & David Lilley (Gt Chesterford)
Mavis DeBoise (Caroline Jeewan's mum)

Those who need our support:

Betty Dowsett (Littlebury Green)
Lucy Maskell (Great Chesterford)
Jan Godfrey (Little Chesterford)

Friends and families of those who have died:

Marjorie Edge (Saffron Walden)
Norman Britcher (Wendens Ambo)
June Foot and Ken Wood (formerly of Great Chesterford)
Those whose anniversaries are this week

Other topics for your prayers

- The conclusion of the UN Climate Change Conference in Glasgow
- Our efforts to care for the world and protect its resources - that they may be relevant, generous and practical
- Those whose lives and livelihoods are being affected by natural events, and by conflict and civil war and especially those experiencing near famine - North Ethiopia, Madagascar, Yemen and Afghanistan
- The future facing the people of Afghanistan under the Taliban
- That nations with the vaccines to fight Covid-19 and its variants may help with providing them for the poorer parts of the world
- The frail elderly in our communities as the evenings get darker
- Those missing loved ones who have died

OUR CHURCHES

Giving to our churches

If you wish to make a donation to our churches we are now able to do offer online giving. Just visit the 'Giving' section of our website (www.camvillages.org.uk) and follow the instructions. Thanks, too, to those who have chosen to commit to regular planned giving.

Website

Keep up to date with changes to our worship in church and all that's going on by visiting our website <https://camvillages.org.uk>

Children's Work

There are activities for young people of all ages on the website prepared by our children's ministry team.

Access

On p 4 you will find details of how to access the services that are going to be live streamed together with Zoom ones

Following the lifting of government restrictions

the team is suggesting the following - but each church may like to have its own variation. Bearing in mind that we still want everyone to feel safe:

1. It will be up to individuals to decide whether or not to wear masks.
 2. If singing is allowed for the congregation, we will wear masks to sing.
 3. Choirs won't have to mask if they social distance and/or are 6 or less.
 4. We will create a separate space in our churches for those who want to social distance.
 5. Test and trace will continue.
 6. We will no longer use one-way systems.
- We won't share the common cup until, at least, spring. This is to see how winter affects the virus.

NEWS

FAMILY WORSHIP

The **Cam Villages Churches** now offer families a greater choice of services in the course of each month:

1st Sunday **Café Church** 10.00 am at Littlebury
2nd Sunday **Family Service** 9.30 am at Wenden
3rd Sunday **iChurch** 9.30 am at Gt Chesterford
Family Service 9.30 am Littlebury Green
4th Sunday **Family Communion** 9.30 am at Wenden

Our toddler church is on Wednesday mornings at All Saints Great Chesterford

Building Blocks is toddler church with a difference.

Please join us for fun, stories, music and drinks every Wednesday during term time.

Each session begins at 9.30 am for tea, coffee, squash, playtime, and then the activities begin at 10 am.

Just come along, even if you have never been to church before, and join in the fun!

CHRISTMAS FAIR Saturday 27th November at Chesterfords Community Centre, Newmarket Road, Great Chesterford **12 noon to 4 pm.**

The Parish of Great and Little Chesterford is planning for its Christmas Fair on Saturday 27th November, and hoping that nothing will stop it happening. Children's entertainment has been booked, there will be plenty of stalls, light lunches and teas, and the Grand Christmas Draw for the amazing Christmas hamper and many more prizes. And . . . Father Christmas is expected to call.

Gluhwein Abend

The Friends of Holy Trinity Church Littlebury are hosting an evening of traditional mountain cheer and music **Saturday 27th November 7.30 pm** at Littlebury Village Hall Tickets £20 from susan.amiss@gmail.com (by 17th November please) to include Gluhwein and food.

GRANTA CHORALE

Our local a cappella choir is giving a concert in All Saints Church, Great Chesterford, on **Wednesday 15th December**. More details will be available shortly but in the meantime keep the date! Refreshments will be served

Don't forget to keep up to date by visiting our CAM VILLAGES WEBSITE

The website is user friendly, has all our latest news and you will be able to see what is going on in all our churches at a glance.

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